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M.D. Keoma Meeting

The regular meeting of Municipal District of Keoma, No. 249, was held on Monday last at the Municipal Office, those present being W.M. Galloway, Reeve, Jack McLean, J., S.W. Ewing, E.M. Petter, T.L. Chamberlain and E.W. Powers, Secretary-Treasurer.

A number of matters concerning roads within the Municipality were taken up. It was stated that the arbitrators would be appointed with regard to road diversion at Dr. Evans place. Councillor Chamberlain was appointed to look after this matter.

It was agreed to apply an amount not exceeding \$500 for purchasing fall rye for farmers under the Government scheme.

Requisitions for funds from two new schools, Jarvis and Baintree, were granted.

The sum of \$500 was appropriated for each division for road work in addition to the present appropriation for this year.

A number of bills were presented and ordered to be paid, \$6000 of pay sheets for work on roads was also approved.

At a previous meeting held on June 24th, authority was granted to borrow \$1500 to cover requisitions from school districts.

Keoma Municipality has done a lot of road work during the present year, and the results are apparent in the better roads all through the Municipality.

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A real downpour of rain, the first big rain that has fallen in this part of the country since 1916, according to many, started in about seven o'clock on Saturday evening, to the accompaniment of much thunder and lightning. The storm continued well on into Monday forenoon, and by 8 a.m. on the Monday morning, two and a quarter inches of rain had fallen.

The crops have made a wonderful improvement during the last two weeks, since the drought was broken, and farmers generally feel more confident about their crops than they did at the early part of last month. With regard to wheat it was generally headed out before the rains started, and therefore will not increase the yield much but it will result in a fine plump kernel. There are some fine fields of wheat throughout the district, even on dry lands.

Oats and barley have benefited greatly from the rain, and many crops that had only been in the ground for feed will make good grain now.

It looks as if harvesting will start within a week's time, providing the weather keeps warm, and two weeks, it should be general. Irrigated land throughout the district are promising great results, and providing the weather is favorable for maturing, will give some splendid yields. There is a large acreage under irrigation in this district this year than there has ever been before, and the work has been done more systematically.

The improvement recently has stimulated the demand for binders and binder twine, and local dealers report a brisk business.

Farmers themselves are surprised at the vitality the crop has shown this year, for since the May snow-storms, up till within three weeks ago, there had only been a few local showers, and high winds and temperatures did everything to cause discouragement, but yet the most of the crops have lived through it, and while in many places the yield is only fair, yet there are a large number of fine crops even on dry land. Generally the crop will be considerably better than last year.

Outside of chances of damage between now and harvest, the only fly in the ointment is the Government's scheme to give the farmer \$175 per bushel for his wheat, and later whatever the difference between that and selling price, less the cost of handling. Farmers would rather know just now what they are going to get, and are doubtful of their getting more than \$1.75 out of the Government.

There is a great deal of discontent manifested, and the Strathmore UFA are calling an indignation meeting for Wednesday afternoon to discuss the matter.

Reservations for Industrial Congress

Reservations are now being made at the headquarters of the forthcoming Alberta Industrial Congress for the special train which is to leave Medicine Hat on the evening of August 11th for the Grand Theatre, Calgary, where congress sessions take place and for hotel accommodation at Medicine Hat, Calgary and Edmonton. There is no cost attached to the congress sessions in Calgary and reservations are made for all who apply by letter or wire.

The congress sessions will take place on morning and afternoon of both Wednesday and Thursday of the week of August 14-16. The Edmonton session of the congress promises to be an interesting feature and at the capital city the Premier and government members will give a reception. The congress will conclude with a trip into the Rockies at the end of the week.

Several hundred reservations have already been made for the theater sessions and a slightly lesser number for the special trains. Several parties of American industrial leaders will accompany special train in private car.

Local Jottings

The rain on Sunday evening sounded better than Sousa's band did to most people.

A deputation went up to Calgary last week-end to interview E.W. Lent, president of the Provincial Auto Association, to get him to use his influence for the improvement of the crossing of the Serviceberry at Hartell's corner, on the main road to Calgary. This is at present the worst place on the whole road, and there is a greater traffic over this road than any other in the district.

Mr and Mrs Harold Morse are at present living in town.

W. Canine had the distinction of being fined \$3.00 and costs for speeding on Strathmore's main street last week. He was also accused of failing to stop when signalled by Fronting Constable Valk.

H. E. Tompkins, local C.P.R. Agent, has gone with Mrs Tompkins and family on a month's vacation in the mountains. During his absence his duties are being taken up by Mr F. Miller, relieving agent.

Buller's Dog and Pony Shows performed here on Monday to fair crowds, considering the wet weather and short notice advertising. They gave a very creditable performance. Besides the exhibition of trained horses, ponies, and dogs, there was a ten-piece band, clowns, tight-rope artists, and other specialties and generally the show was much better than had been expected, and was much enjoyed.

W. C. Brown has just unloaded a car of new model Forders, which are adapted for self-starters and represent a big advance over previous models of the well-known "Elizabeths."

With the beginning of September Strathmore Anglican Church will have a new permanent clergyman, Capt. Montgomery, D.S.O., who served with distinction throughout the late war.

A number of local people are attending the Western Canada Irrigation Convention at Medicine Hat this week, including R. S. Stockton and G. H. Patrick.

Mrs Vernon, who for some time past has been guest of Mrs Patrick, left on Monday for Seattle.

Geo. Schreger, one of the members of Vulcan's famous ball team, is now on the Strathmore team, being in the employ of Werling's Garage. Besides being a first-class ball player, he is also a first-class mechanic.

Don't forget the Strathmore-Drumheller game next Wednesday. It's going to be good.

Strathmore Auction Mart Sale is postponed indefinitely owing to insufficient entries. Entries, however, will still be taken by the Secretary, J. H. M. Martin 68 S.

Miss Florence and Edith McKinnon, of Perth, Ontario, are visiting their sister, Mrs Harry Glover, south of town.

Jos. Van Tighem, manager of the local branch of the Union Bank, and F. W. Moore, manager at Calgary, attended the meeting of Western bank managers, held at Calgary last week.

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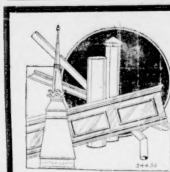
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We invite contributions to this page from all districts. If you have any items which you consider to be of interest, write, phone, or call the Standard Office. We will be pleased to publish them. You can also send them to the following correspondents, who will also take in year lists, subscriptions, or job work for the Standard:
Ardeneau—F. H. Donkin
Carleton Place—H. Lauson, U.F.A. Sec'y., or F. W. Moore
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Crawfoot—Nobt, West

Harrow—S. B. Allison, U.F.A. Secretary
Nimnap—S. W. Lawrie
Nightingale—E. M. Stodley, U.F.A. Sec'y
Rockyford—Leon F. Plutkin

Strathmore—R. F. Bolevian

Some districts are as yet unrepresented. We want to hear from them.
We want everyone, U.F.A.'s especially, to co-operate in sending regularly notes of the news and personal items of each district to this page. By it you will know what other districts are doing, and others will know what you are doing, and consequently the interests of everyone will be advanced, and co-operation furthered. Look upon the Standard as your own paper. That is what we want it to be—a mirror of the news and opinion of the Western Bow Valley.

Correspondents should endeavor to have their copy in by Sunday afternoon, or at latest Monday afternoon, as our forms close Tuesday. Paper and envelopes will be supplied on application.

John MacKenzie, Editor

Namaka

Mr. and Mrs. Bigger, Mr. and Mrs. Watson, and Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Lawrie, left for a week's sojourn to the mountains, Sunday.

Jack's Ford was seen winding its way westward on Sunday. How were the roads coming home?

Mrs. W. Hare and two children spent a few days here visiting her sister, Mrs. Bucker.

The U. G. G. shipped in a carload of round last week.

Mrs. Stevens is visiting here a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Coates motored to Chancellors on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermack of Chancellors are enjoying over the birth of a baby boy. Mrs. Kermack before her marriage, was formerly Miss E. Stevens of this district.

The U. F. W. A. held a well attended meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thorsen on Saturday. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wooster, on Saturday the 16th, when it is expected Mrs. O. C. Welch will give a talk on the political situation. All members are requested to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wheeler spent Sunday at Swallow with Mr. and Mrs. E. Lutz.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Thompson paid them a surprise visit on Friday evening, the occasion being their departure from Namaka, after which a dance was held in the J. O. O. F. Hall, the music being supplied by Mr. and Mrs. McKinnon and Miss Ruth Sim. A splendid supper was served, after which Mr. R. H. Lawrie, acting as spokesman presented Mr. and Mrs. Thompson with a purse of money in appreciation of his service to the community in which they have always taken an active part.

The Churches

METHODIST

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Services next Sunday August 10th.

11 a.m.—School for Religious Education for everybody. Adults especially invited to the Bible Class in the basement of the church.

7:00 p.m.—Public Worship. Sermon Subject—"The Unquenchable Summer Time."

Friday, August 9th.—At 5 p.m. in the church, a meeting will be held by the Management Board of the Sunday School and all who are interested to arrange for a Community Picnic, also to discuss the formation of a Young People's Society in the early Autumn.

Thursday—At 2 p.m. The Ladies Aid Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Todd. All ladies of the congregation are invited.

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Crowfoot Notes

About thirty ladies of Crowfoot and vicinity spent a delightful afternoon at the new house of Mr. and Mrs. David England on Friday August 1st.

The gathering was in the nature of a miscellaneous society. Mrs. England, and arranged by Mrs. Albert Miller, Mrs. Anson Barnett, Mrs. Harry Scher, The friends were welcomed by the host and hostess. After a social hour a large number of pretty and useful presents were presented to the bride. Delicious refreshments were then served, a number of pictures, taken and life company dispersed wishing Mr. and Mrs. England happiness and prosperity.

Cheadle Notes

Mrs. J. Lyons has returned to Calgary after visiting here with friends and relatives for a couple of weeks.

Jack Becker of the Cheadle farm, is on the farm again after having been in hospital with an injured leg, but is still using a crutch.

Abe Rabson has been visiting for awhile at Tim Kildee's.

J. A. McDonald has bought the Hodges farm across from him.

Frank Amidon is away north on a hay contract with Billy Eke.

Mrs. W. J. Orr and daughter have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Craig, and have returned to Calgary.

Walter Miner has returned from the Hay.

Mrs. Roy Miner has her brother visiting her from Red Deer.

Dave Smith has received a new Runwell Oil Pump engine and J. Becker a new grain separator.

Hans Nicholson reports lots of water on his place from the recent rains, he says the cellar is full. Save it Hans, for next year.

The Cheadle Ball team played a double-header last Sunday defeating a picked team from Calgary 15-4, and also defeated the Carleton Place 1-3. Hope to have the Calgary boys back for next Sunday.

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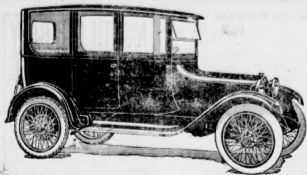
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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 6, 1919

Wheat Prices and Government Interference

The recent decision of the Dominion Government, to set the price of wheat at \$1.75, and to give the farmer later the difference between that and the amount actually realised, less handling and selling expenses, has aroused more indignation among the farmers than any Government enactment during the past few years.

This feeling arises from several causes. In the first place, farmers feel that the Government should have announced their intention some time ago. When the crop was sown this spring the price to be realised was very doubtful. Farmers were worrying as to where their market was to come from. At that time some such scheme as the Government now proposes would have seemed reasonable. Now there is the prospect of a short crop. Dealings in futures during the short time the market was free showed prices up to \$2.45 per bushel. The U.S.A. fixed price is from \$2.26 to \$2.30 per bushel, so the Canadian price, at any rate, would go below that, and might probably be more.

The general feeling is that if the crop had been heavy the Government would have let the market take its course, and wheat would have gone down, but with a short crop Ottawa interferes to prevent the market going up.

In theory, the Government scheme should work out all right. This year, in importing countries, there will be little buying by individuals. Most Governments during the war did the buying for their countries, and distributed to the dealers, and are going to do so this year again.

In practice, however, it is doubtful if the scheme will work out. The history of the Ottawa Government's business dealings during the past four years has not inspired anyone with confidence, either in its intelligence or in its immunity from graft.

If the proposal had been made at the beginning of the season, it would have been acceptable, as it is not denied that the speculative system of marketing grain has been full of abuses. Coming at this late date, however, it looks like manipulation for the benefit of the Canadian millers, who will have only one agency to deal with in purchasing grain.

Contrast this with the way the Canadian manufacturer has been assisted by the Government. Credits have been established in Roumania, Greece, and other countries which are long on wants but short on cash, so that the Canadian manufacturer can sell them what they want in competition with other countries, and Canada guarantees him his money. Then he sells the rest of his goods at the highest price he can get, with a tariff wall protecting him from outside competition. No fixed prices for articles manufactured in Canada, and from the discontent there has been about prices they want fixing.

The farmer, apparently, is the victim selected for the experiment in paternalism. If it pans out the Government may start to sell shoes, bacon, and the other articles the prices of which have aroused the consumer's ire.

At the same time, it is not to be denied that many farmers have been, so to speak "asking for it." Resolutions have been passed at farmers' meetings calling for the cutting out of the speculator, and various other ideas of a socialistic nature. Now they have got what some of them asked for, and they don't like it.

Neither does any body else for that matter. There are very few people in business who would like the same proposition handed out to them as the farmers have put before them at the present time without their knowledge or sanction that their goods be handed over to the Government at cost price, and then sold by the Government at whatever price they will bring.

Canada is still too much of a individualistic country for a proposition of that kind to be permanent or acceptable.

Baseball Tournament To-Day

Today is the date of the big baseball tournament to be held here competing teams being: Gleichen, Rockford, Strathmore and Chedoke. The 1st-named is figuring on having a strong team in the field, and giving the others a close run for the money.

Prizes are \$100 for the tournament winner and \$50 for the runner up.

In the evening a big Dance will be held in the Opera House. Everybody is invited to attend.

SUNDAY'S GAME

On Sunday afternoon, Strathmore met Keoma here, and defeated them by a score of 13-2. Early in the afternoon the Strathmore scrub team gave the regulars a trimming so it looks as if Strathmore had lots of good ball players to spare.

DRUMHELLER GAME WED.
An extravaganza attraction is being provided for next Wednesday, August 13th, when Drumheller, "one of the crack teams of the province," will play Strathmore in a return game at Strathmore. When the local team went up to Drumheller last month they were defeated 10-2 but they are going to turn the tables this time.

Chautauqua for 1920

Although faced with a considerable deficit this year, most of the signers for the Chautauqua, which concluded last week, have signed up again, and 55 names have been secured to a guarantee of \$1,500 to bring Chautauqua here in 1920.

The closing day's sessions were very interesting. Mr. G. Carveth Wells, lecturer, gave a racy description of his experiences in the Malay jungle, and in the evening the Serbian Tamburica orchestra, a sextette of youths from the little country which first bucked the big boys, gave a fine musical program and had to respond to repeated requests for encores.

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